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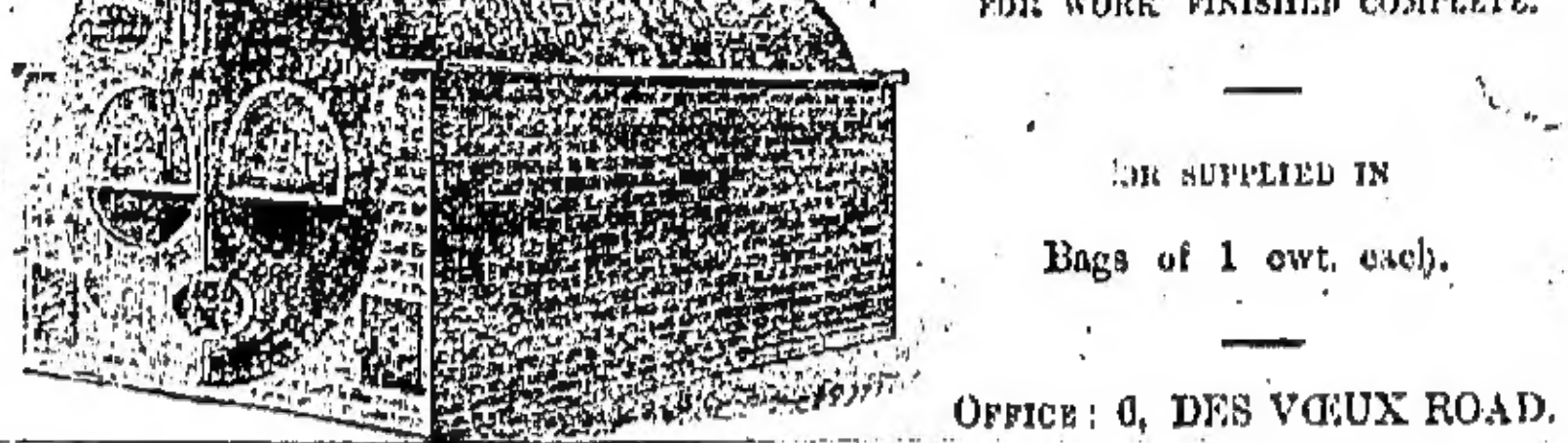
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Hongkong, May 17, 1905.

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## LITERARY NOTES.

(FROM HOME PAPERS.)

The departure of Mr. Choate and the ar-  
rival of Mr. Whitelaw Reid give Mr. F. S.  
A. Lowndes opportunity for a pleasant  
essay in the 'Fortnightly Review' on the  
Literary Associations of the American  
Embassy in London. It is rather curious,  
when one comes to think about it, that  
the United States should have sent us a  
much larger number of literary envoys  
than France, Germany, Italy, or Spain.  
But so it is. The countries of Dante,  
Goethe, Voltaire, and Cervantes find their  
representatives 'at the Court of St.  
James's' in busy politicians, adroit dip-  
lomats, or sly grandees; the Republic  
provides us with poets, essayists, and his-  
torians.

Mr. Lowndes reminds us that Benjamin  
Franklin, John Lothrop Motley, George  
Baneroff, James Russell Lowell, and  
John Hay were all at the American  
Embassy in London at some time or  
other. The list suggests that the  
study of history and literary criticism is  
a more hopeful pursuit in America than  
in England. In the latter country, if the  
student is lucky, it may possibly bring him  
to an ill-paid professorship; in the former  
it may lead to one of the most agreeable  
and dignified positions which any person,  
not of Royal blood, can occupy. The  
clever literary young man, with some taste  
for public affairs, should select France or the  
United States as his birthplace, and he may  
hope to be a Cabinet Minister or an Am-  
bassador in due course.

At Les Châtelaines, the house at Cham-  
bery in which Rousseau lived with Madame  
de Warens, there is a visitors' book which  
contains, among other entries, the follow-  
ing:—

'Pierre Milikre, of Saint-Jean-de-  
Lyon, formerly a pharmaceutical chemist  
and an ironmonger at Lyon, a naturalist,  
a painter, and a poet, secretary of the  
Luncheon Society, correspondent member  
of the Society of British Artificial  
Manures, born July 23, 1802, passed  
Les Châtelaines in the course of an  
insect-hunting expedition, and experi-  
enced adorable emotions.  
We owe this gem to the research of the  
Academy, which informs us that it bears  
date September 5, 1859.

How did Tennyson's noble and pathetic  
swan-song, "Crossing the Bar" come to  
being? Mr. James Milne, in the Book  
Monthly, suggests that the beautiful idea  
which inspires it must have come into the  
poet's mind at Salcombe, in Devon. That  
quiet and charming little sea-port has a  
harbour and a notable bar, across which the  
men who sailed with Drake and Hawkins  
must often have piloted their ships. Here,  
at Salcombe, lived James Anthony Froude;  
and here he lies buried in the cemetery on  
the green hill-side, within sound of the seas  
as they moan and murmur ceaselessly  
around the sand-spit. And here, in 1889,  
came Tennyson, after a long illness,  
when he sought convalescence in a cruise  
round England on Lord Brassey's yacht, the  
"Sunbeam." The vessel put into Salcombe  
and stayed there a few days, and Tennyson  
went ashore and walked with Froude in  
his garden. This was the idea of his  
Requiem. Perhaps; but the evidence is  
not very strong. There is a bar at Salcombe,  
and—there are rivers in Macedonia,  
Tennyson may have seen many other  
harbours and heard many another "moaning  
of the bar" as the tide comes in. As a  
matter of fact, the poem was not  
written till years after this cruise in  
the "Sunbeam," and we have no proof that  
Tennyson ever visited Salcombe again. Yet  
the local theory is a pleasant one, and we  
should rather like to believe in it.

'The Siege of the South Pole,' by Dr. H.  
R. Mill, will be the fifth volume of The  
Story of Exploration, and Messrs. Lawrence  
and Bullen have it in active preparation  
for early publication. Much that has been  
interesting in the early efforts of South  
Polar explorers has been forgotten or  
misstated, and the author has collected a  
good deal of material which has not been  
published previously. Several of the  
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Business has been a little brisker during the past week and most of our leading stocks are in demand. In Hongkong and Shanghai Banks, quite a phenomenal rise has to be noted, but very few shares have actually changed hands.

**Banks.**—Owing to the splendid result of six months working and the success attended the flotation of the new Japanese loan of £30,000,000. Hongkong and Shanghai Banks have boomed from \$840 to \$890 during the week, and shares have changed hands at this price. The quotation in London has been further appreciated and closes at £90. Nationals have advanced, and are in demand at \$78.

**Marine Insurance.**—Canton has improved \$325 at which price shares are in request. China Traders suffered a heavy decline and were placed at a low of \$27, but since then the market has considerably strengthened and now closes with sales and further sellers at \$78. Unions have risen to \$705, and are wanted.

**Fire Insurance.**—Hongkong Firms have hardened and have been negotiated at \$205. China Firms may be obtained at \$205.

**Shipping.**—Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboats have been booked at 264. Indo-China has advanced and sales at \$97, \$98, \$99 and \$100 (cum dividend) have been effected, closing with buyers at \$93 of the dividend of 12 shilling (\$6 30) paid yesterday. Chan and Namias are quiet at \$20. Douglas Steamships are quiet at \$36 and Star Ferries are unchanged and without business. Shell Transporters have weakened to 21, and are offering.

**Refineries.**—China Sugars have still further depreciated and have been disposed of at \$210 closing with further enquiries. Luzon remains weak at \$31.

**Mining.**—Raffles have been sold at \$84 and Chinese Engineerings are offering at \$15.

**Docks, Wharves and Godowns.**—Hongkong and Whampoa Docks are in demand at \$190 after sales at \$190. Farnham have changed hands at \$14. Howloon Wharves are firm at \$30 and Hongkong Wharves have been sold at \$15. 123. Hongkong Geo. Forwick (old) are to be sold \$29; the new shares (of which only 8,000 have been issued) are quoted at \$27. New Amoy Docks are on offer at \$18.

**Land, Hotels and Buildings.**—Hongkong Lands have found buyers and close in further request at \$117. Shanghai Lands can be placed at \$123. Hongkong Hotels remain dull at \$138. Astor House Hotels have been dealt in at \$314 and \$311 at which latter rate more shares are obtainable. Humphreys Estate have been fixed at \$124.

**Cotton Mills.**—Ewos have jumped to \$15, 48 and are required for at the rate. Internationals have been bought at \$14, \$15, \$16 and \$17. Luen Yung-Mow have buyers at the improved rate of \$15. 48. Hongkong Cottons are neglected at \$164.

**Opium Factories.**—Sumatras are unsold at \$18.

**Miscellaneous.**—Green Island Cements continue weak at \$24. Blaines are quiet at \$17 and \$11. The old and new shares respectively. Langkats have been parried with at \$15 and further shares are wanted. Other stocks under this head are unchanged.

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ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

ACTION NUMBER 103 OF 1905.

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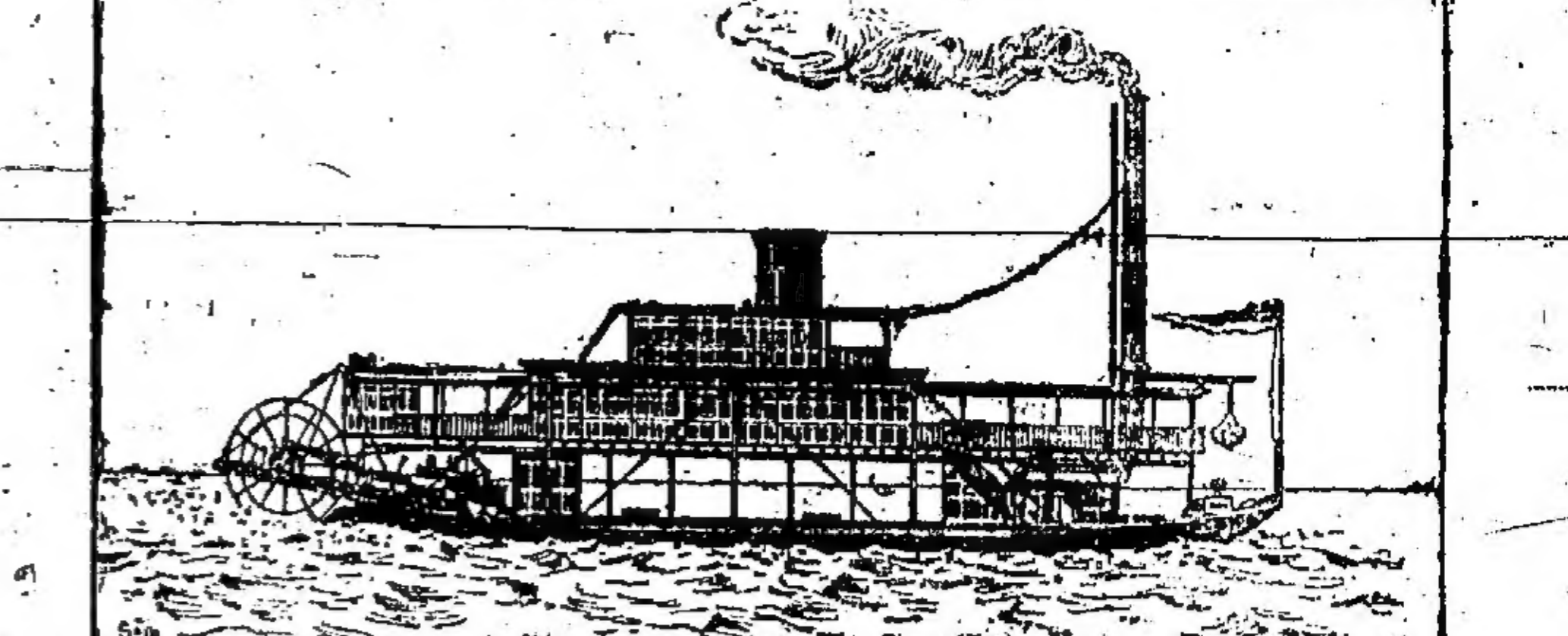
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MARRIAGE.  
On the 17th June, at St. John's Cathedral, by the Rev. F. T. Johnson, Arthur McKinnon, of Melbourne, to Mary Larkins, of Ballarat, East Victoria, Australia.

## MEMOS. FOR MONDAY.

Auctions.

11 a.m.—Auction of 300 Logs Hardwood at No. 3, Wing Wo Chan, Mongkok.

3 p.m.—Auction of Leasehold Property, at Messrs Hughes &amp; Hough's Sales Rooms.

6 p.m.—Auction of Ponies, opposite the City Hall.

Miscellaneous.

Goods per Tjinhui undelivered after this date subject to rent.

General Memoranda.

TUESDAY, July 18.—

Goods per Macaron not cleared at 4 p.m. on this date subject to rent.

Goods per Tjinhui undelivered after this date subject to rent.

WEDNESDAY, July 19.—

Goods per Tjinhui undelivered after this date subject to rent.

THURSDAY, July 20.—

4 p.m.—Auction of Postage Stamps, at Mr. Geo. P. Lammert's Sales Room.

Transfer Books of The Hongkong Land Investment &amp; Agency Co., Ltd., closed from this date to 27th July inclusive.

Transfer Books of The West Point Building Co., Ltd., closed from this date to 27th July inclusive.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JULY 15, 1905.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

The Viceroy of Canton

KWANGTUNG has recently issued an

edictment against the

jurisdiction which will tend to upset

their self complacency and disturb their

sense of safety. It deals with the

condition of the Two Kwang as regards

the exceptional number of robbers

and brigands which are intimidating

and harassing the peaceful inhabitants.

This move is not without interest to us

here in Hongkong, for it is well known

that marauders from the mainland make

our island an asylum when their father-

land gets too hot for them. The

Viceroy divides the lawless into five

classes. There are the regular robbers,

the incendiaries, murderers, kidnappers,

and banditti. The condition of Kwang-

tung and Kwangsi is worse than that of

any other provinces in the empire, and

district magistrates and the police

authorities are responsible for this

deplorable condition of things. Specific

charges are brought against mandarins,

their names are mentioned and they are

threatened with condign punishment,

unless things are altered and that right

speedily. District magistrates are

charged with skulking within their own

yamons, and letting things develop as

they may happen to trend. They are

also described as regardless of the

difficulties of any neighbouring county,

when they should be anxious to render

every assistance. The local police are

indicted because, though they often

know where the robbers are in hiding,

they yet will not yield them up till they

have ascertained what reward shall fall

into their hands as a recompense for

their exertions. For example, one Chau

Yat attacked the town of Kwangning,

During the King's recent visit to Paris, says a Home correspondent, I heard of a curious episode. An English gentleman, well known in the city, bears a striking personal resemblance to the King. It has been a matter of occasionally embarrassing remark for years, dating back so the period when his Majesty was still Prince of Wales. But with advancing years the resemblance alike in face and figure, far exceeding in particularity that established in the recent notorious case, has been maintained. Last year, visiting Caen, an observant local journalist familiar with the face of the King, passing the city man on the Plage, instantly recognised King Edward, with result of the publication of a circumstantial narrative of a Royal visit in ignorance. The same thing has happened in Paris. The city man, on chance, to arrive on the Monday, on his way to the Riviera, purposing to remain at his hotel in the Rue de Rivoli till the end of the week, straightway found himself the object of such irritating attention that he left by the Tuesday night train. The fact that King Edward was inognito added to the pressure of the situation. Too polite to interfere with his Majesty's expressed desire to maintain his privacy, they did not openly cheer the hapless city man as he took his walks abroad. But he was painfully conscious of a crowd dogging his footsteps, of passers-by stopping aside and baring their heads as he passed. Knowing the gentleman personally, I can testify to the reasonableness of the misunderstanding. The likeness is truly phenomenal.

## LOCAL AND COAST NEWS.

Postage Rates to Australia.

It is notified in the current issue of the

Government Gazette that from and after to-

day the rates of postage on letters from

Hongkong and British Agencies in China

to Australia will be four cents per half

ounce or fraction thereof. This liberal re-

duction—60 per cent.—will be appreciated

by all having dealings with Australia.

Parade Concert.

The following programme of music will

be performed by the band of the 119th

Infantry on the Parade Ground on Mon-

day next, from 5 to 6.30 p.m.:—

March "The Hussars' Gene" Ellensburg

Selection "H.M.S. Pinafore" Godfrey

Polka "The Star of England" Farrell

Valse "Blancs Neiges" Strauss

Overture "Fleete Dureche" Suppe

Solo (Euphonium) "Gulls" Jones

GOD SAVE THE KING.

The Late Captain Martin.

The funeral of Captain J. P. Martin, of

the Canton River steamer "Kwongchow"

took place yesterday afternoon at Happy

Valley. The deceased had been in the

East for a considerable number of years and

was well known and respected all along the

coast. He was in command of the

"Kwongchow" for about eighteen months,

leaving her to go into hospital. He suffer-

ed from a complaint of the liver which

rendered an operation necessary, from which

Captain Martin did not recover, dying on

Wednesday.

Sandow's Company.

Great interest seems to be manifested

in the coming of Sandow, and there is a

likelihood of packed houses every night.

Precautions are being taken to make the

theatre as cool as possible, and everything

possible will be done to ensure the comfort

of patrons. The pictures of the strong man

to be seen about the city are of great in-

terest to the Chinese, who stand in crowds

gazing at them in wonderment.

A Popular Theatre.

The attendance at Chinese theatric

performances does not appear to be ad-

versely affected by the hot weather. The

Ko Shing, West Point, is continually

crowded. Indeed, sometimes literally pack-

ed, so that the authorities are compelled to

step in to ensure the public safety. In

connection with such an occasion, a Chinese

official from the Ko Shing was summoned,

at the Magistracy, this morning, for allow-

ing people to stand up in the gangways and

obstruct them. It was stated that the

theatre was crowded and between three and

four hundred people were standing in the

gangways. Mr. F. A. Hazell inflicted a

## BY TELEGRAPH. BY TELEGRAPH

## MURDER AT SHANGHAI.

SHANGHAI, July 14.

The three Indians who were charged

with the murder of the watchman at

Footing have been found guilty.

Sentence of death on all three was

passed.

[The above message was received here

last evening, but too late for insertion in

yesterday's issue.—Ed., C.M.]

## LOCAL AND COAST NEWS.

There were 3,402 charges under the

Opium Ordinance during 1904.

Mr J. E. Boulton has been appointed

acting Assistant Director of Public Works

during the absence on leave of Mr P. N. H.

Jones.

The Government notification of De-

cember 20, 1904, declaring Brazil to be a

country granting bounties on sugar, is

cancelled.

During 1904 there were 14,505 cases

called at the Magistracy, involving 16,469

prisoners. Of the latter 13,925 were con-

victed and punished.

A junkmaster, for failing to report the

arrival of his junk in the harbour and for

not clearing at the Harbour Office before

departing, was fined \$14, at the Magistracy,

this morning.

The appointment of Colonel C. H.

Darling, R.E., C.R.E., as Commandant of the

Troops during the absence of His Ex-

cellency Major General Villiers Hatton,

C.B., is gazetted.

The following additional bye-law relat-

ing to Boarding Houses is published:—"No

person shall keep a Boarding House for

Chinese Emigrants unless he shall have

taken out a license."

The Government Gazette notifies that

no dog brought from Penang or the Feder-

ated Malay Straits will be permitted to

land in this Colony for a period of six

months from July 10, 1905.

The Government Gazette announces

that His Excellency the Governor will,

pending the issue of an Exequatur, pro-

visionally recognise Mr J. G. G. de Bernad-

as Consul for Chili at Hongkong.

The Sanitary Board's dust boat con-

tractor was proceeded against, at the

Magistracy, this morning, for failing to

paint the numbers on his boats. Inspector

McFerson stated that he warned the defend-

ant and gave him some time in which to get the

boats painted but he failed to do so. The

regulations required that the boats should

be painted and the Harbour Master desired

that they should be strictly enforced. Mr

G. N. Orme imposed a fine of \$5 for each

of the ten boats left unpainted and ordered

the work to be done forthwith.

## ENGLAND AND FRANCE.

## NAVAL OFFICERS VISIT PARIS.

LONDON, July 14.

Two hundred British naval officers,







